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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.182

CHANGE OF ORDER OF NAMED INVENTORS

Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.182 the undersigned hereby respectfully requests and petitions that the order of named inventors in the above-referenced application be changed so as to be ordered as follows:

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Enclosed with this amendment and petition is a check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h). Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any other charges that may be due.

Respectfully submitted,

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